

FIG. 1

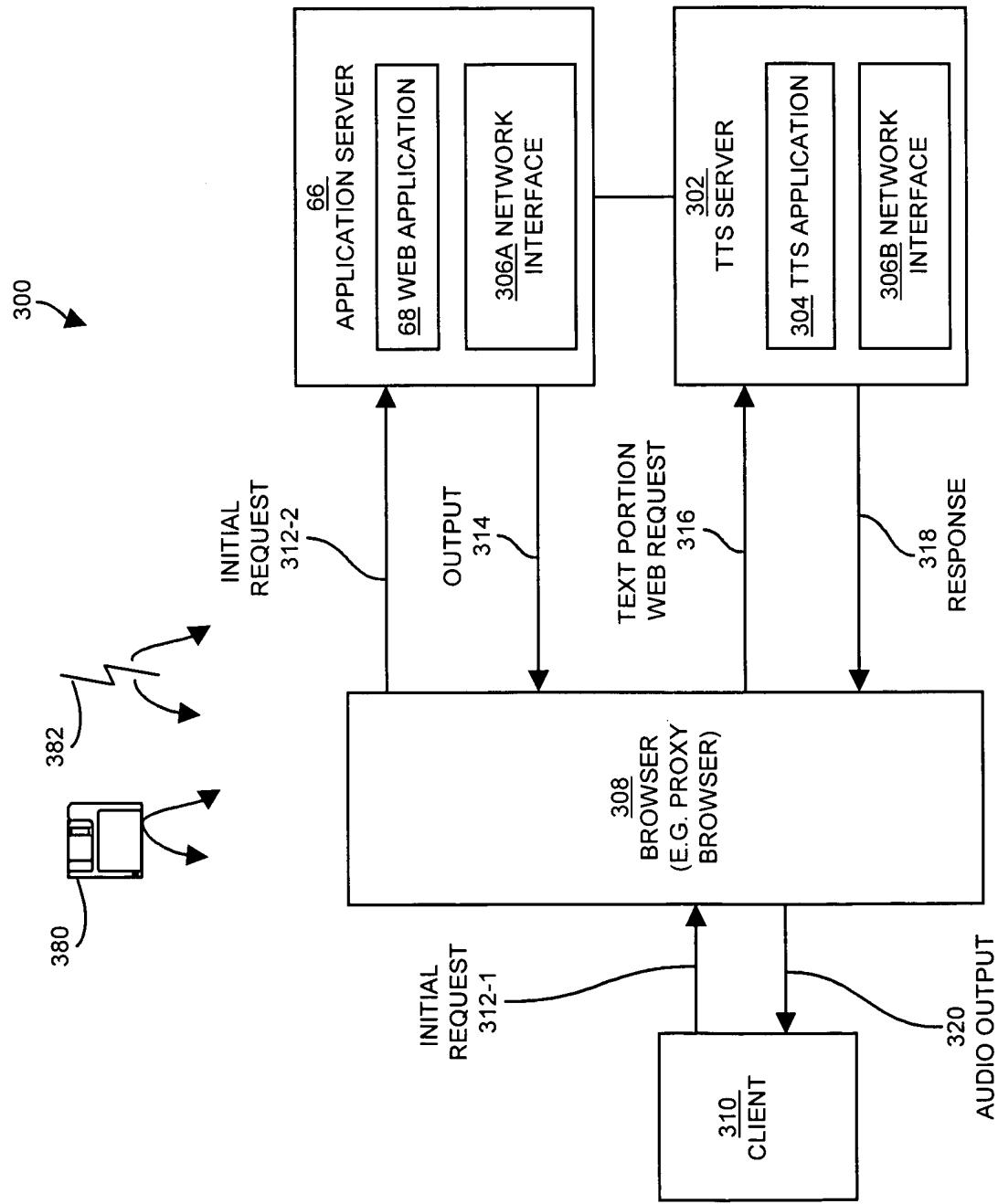
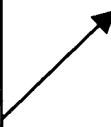


FIG. 2

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402-1
THIS IS A SAMPLE BODY OF TEXT. IT CONTAINS
MULTIPLE SENTENCES AND A VARIETY OF PUNCTUATION;
402-2
ALL OF THESE ARE ELEMENTS OF STANDARD TEXT THAT ARE
402-3
INTERPRETED BY TEXT-TO-SPEECH CONVERTERS.
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412-1
420
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HTTP://TTSSERVER/MAIN.CGI?THIS+IS+A+SAMPLE+BODY+OF+TEXT%P++IT+CONTAINS
412-2
HTTP://TTSSERVER/MAIN.CGI?+MULTIPLE+SENTENCES+AND+A+VARIETY+OF+PUNCTUATION%C
412-3
HTTP://TTSSERVER/MAIN.CGI?+ARE+ELEMENTS+OF+STANDARD+TEXT+THAT+ARE
412-4
HTTP://TTSSERVER/MAIN.CGI?+INTERPRETED+BY+TEXT%dTO%dSPEECH+CONVERTERS%P

FIG. 3

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502 RECEIVE AN INITIAL WEB REQUEST (E.G. HTTP REQUEST) TO CONVERT A BODY OF TEXT TO SPEECH.



504 DIVIDE THE BODY OF TEXT INTO PORTIONS OF TEXT IN RESPONSE TO RECEIVING THE INITIAL WEB REQUEST.



506 PROVIDE AN OUTPUT (E.G. HTML PAGE) THAT INCLUDES RESOURCE IDENTIFIERS (E.G. URL'S) THAT CAN BE USED IN CONVERTING THE TEXT PORTIONS FROM TEXT TO SPEECH. EACH RESOURCE IDENTIFIER INCLUDES ONE OF THE TEXT PORTIONS AND THE IDENTITY OF A RESOURCE (E.G. HTTP ADDRESS) THAT CAN BE USED IN CONVERTING THE TEXT PORTION INTO AN AUDIO FORMAT.

FIG. 4

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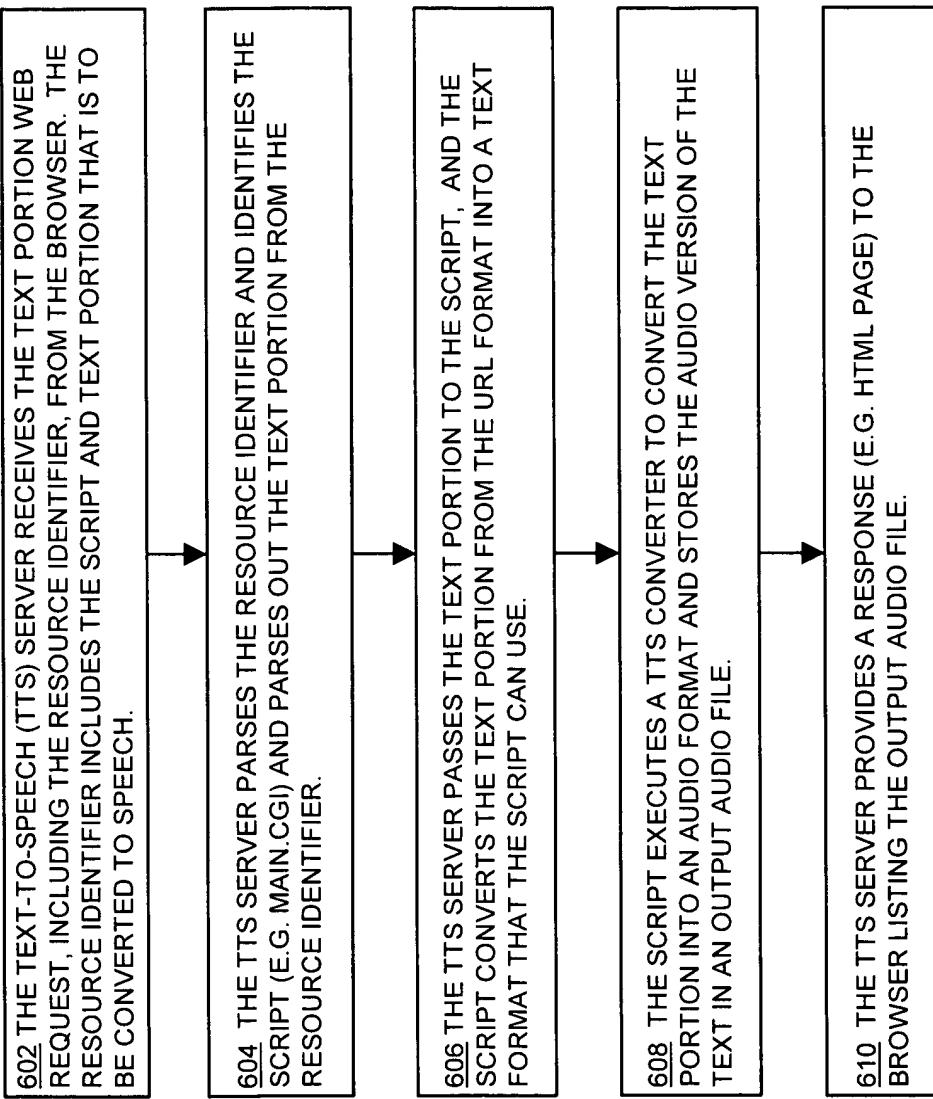


FIG. 5

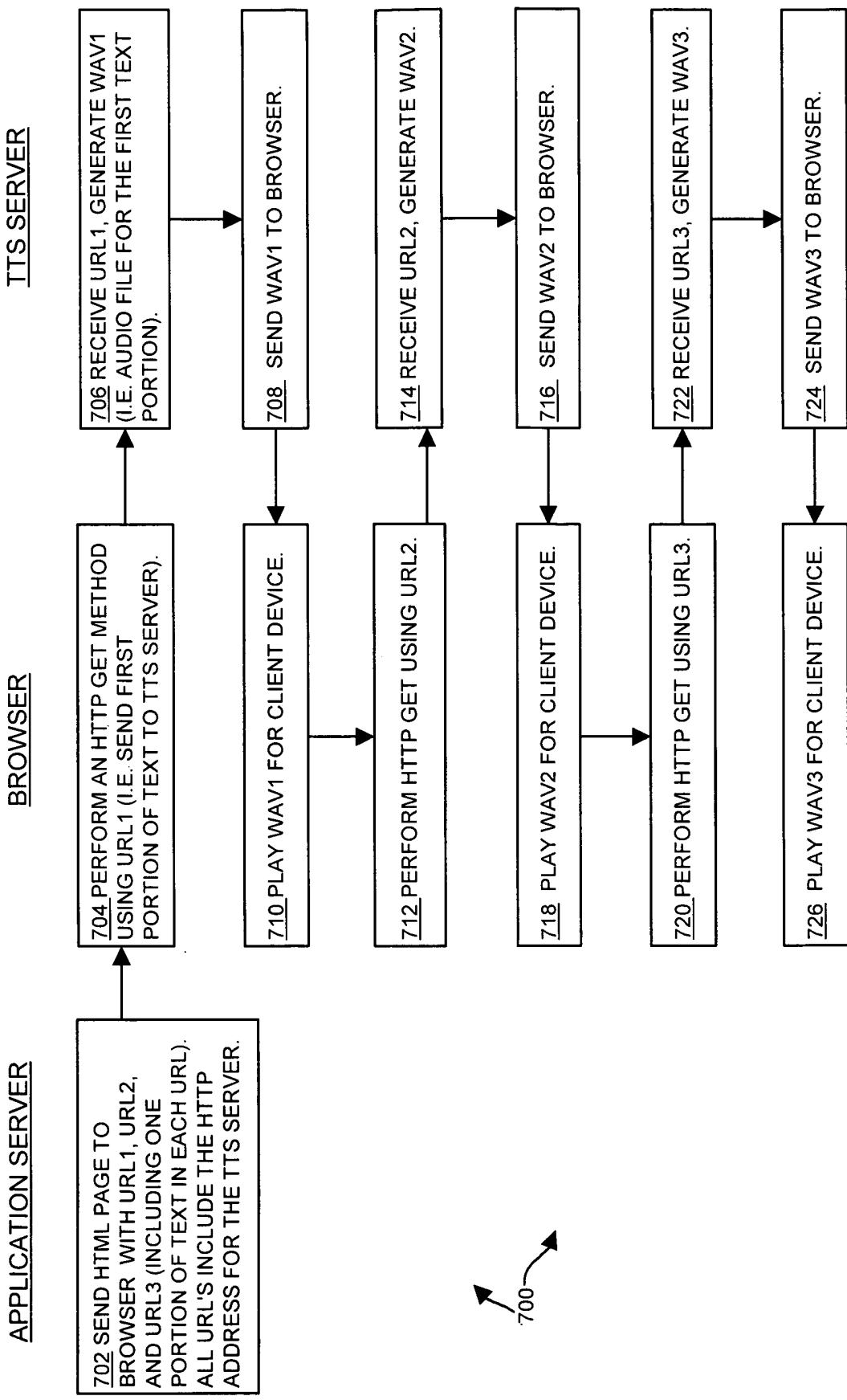


FIG. 6